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**Stafford County Public Schools release SAT Scores**

*Stafford, VA--*The Stafford County School division released their Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) Scores for 2006 this afternoon. Please see attached charts for division and school scores.

The division exceeded both state and national scores in the critical reading component and exceeded the national scores in writing. Colonial Forge High School exceeded the state and national scores in all three tests. Since 2000, Stafford County Public Schools have exceeded state and national median scores on the verbal/critical reading portion of the SAT. While the total number of SAT test takers dropped in both the state and nation last year, Stafford County's participation rate increased 11 percent over the previous year. In Stafford, 1,200 students participated in SAT testing in the 2005-2006 school year.

Media questions regarding SAT results may be directed to Rebecca Danello at 540/658-6000.

**Five-Year Profile of Scholastic Aptitude Test Scores**  
**Comparison of Division, State, and National Total Scores**  
**Stafford County Public Schools**  
**2000-2006**

| School          |        |      | 2000  |        |      | 2001  |        |      | 2002  |        |      | 2003  |        |      | 2004  |        |      | 2005  |        |      | 2006  |
|-----------------|--------|------|-------|--------|------|-------|--------|------|-------|--------|------|-------|--------|------|-------|--------|------|-------|--------|------|-------|
|                 | Verbal | Math | Total | Verbal | Math | Total | Verbal | Math | Total | Verbal | Math | Total | Verbal | Math | Total | Verbal | Math | Total | Verbal | Math | Total |
| Stafford Senior | 530    | 519  | 1049  | 532    | 503  | 1035  | 520    | 519  | 1039  | 531    | 521  | 1052  | 519    | 504  | 1023  | 527    | 515  | 1042  | 514    | 512  | NA    |
| North Stafford  | 511    | 503  | 1014  | 510    | 503  | 1013  | 511    | 507  | 1018  | 517    | 506  | 1023  | 520    | 512  | 1032  | 510    | 508  | 1018  | 507    | 508  | NA    |
| Brooke Point    | 530    | 508  | 1039  | 524    | 507  | 1031  | 515    | 502  | 1017  | 515    | 503  | 1018  | 521    | 508  | 1029  | 517    | 516  | 1033  | 510    | 497  | NA    |
| Colonial Forge  | -      | -    | -     | 536    | 523  | 1059  | 509    | 509  | 1018  | 521    | 511  | 1032  | 524    | 525  | 1049  | 524    | 529  | 1053  | 527    | 527  | NA    |
| Mountain View-  | -      | -    | -     | -      | -    | -     | -      | -    | -     | -      | -    | -     | -      | -    | -     | -      | -    | -     | 495    | 487  | NA    |

|          |     |     |      |     |     |      |     |     |      |     |     |      |     |     |      |     |     |      |     |     |    |
|----------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|------|-----|-----|----|
| Division | 522 | 509 | 1031 | 524 | 508 | 1032 | 514 | 509 | 1023 | 520 | 510 | 1030 | 521 | 513 | 1034 | 519 | 517 | 1036 | 514 | 511 | NA |
| State    | 509 | 500 | 1009 | 510 | 501 | 1011 | 510 | 506 | 1016 | 514 | 507 | 1021 | 515 | 509 | 1024 | 516 | 514 | 1030 | 512 | 513 | NA |
| National | 505 | 514 | 1019 | 506 | 514 | 1020 | 504 | 516 | 1020 | 507 | 519 | 1026 | 508 | 518 | 1026 | 508 | 520 | 1028 | 503 | 518 | NA |

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| <p style="text-align: center;"><b>SCHOLASTIC APTITUDE TEST SCORES</b><br/> <b>COMPARISON OF DIVISION, STATE, AND NATIONAL TOTAL SCORES</b><br/> <b>STAFFORD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS 2006</b></p> |
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|                 | CRITICAL READING | MATH | WRITING |
|-----------------|------------------|------|---------|
| <u>STAFFORD</u> | 514              | 511  | 494     |
| <b>VIRGINIA</b> | 512              | 513  | 500     |
| <b>NATION</b>   | 503              | 518  | 409     |

|                             | CRITICAL READING | MATH | WRITING |
|-----------------------------|------------------|------|---------|
| <b>BROOKE POINT HIGH</b>    | 510              | 497  | 488     |
| <b>COLONIAL FORGE HIGH</b>  | 527              | 527  | 507     |
| <b>MOUNTAIN VIEW HIGH *</b> | 495              | 487  | 464     |
| <b>NORTH STAFFORD HIGH</b>  | 507              | 508  | 488     |
| <b>STAFFORD HIGH</b>        | 514              | 512  | 494     |

\*No senior class